**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

Public Services – Commercial Tax Department – Common Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri M. Sudhakara Rao, JC (ST), Visakhapatnam-II Division and (4) others under rule 24 of APCS (CC&A) Rules,1991– Article of Charges issued – dated acknowledgements received – Examined - Inquiring Authority Appointed – Appointment of Presenting Officer - Orders - Issued.

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**REVENUE (CT-II) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No.160** **Dt: 15/02/2023**

**Read the following:**

1. G.O.Ms.No.2, Rev (CT.II) Dept., Dt:02-01-2023.
2. G.O.Rt.No.1, Rev (CT.II) Dept., Dt: 02.01.2023
3. G.O.Rt.No.2, Rev (CT.II) Dept., Dt: 02.01.2023
4. G.O.Rt.No.3, Rev (CT.II) Dept., Dt: 02.01.2023
5. G.O.Rt.No.4, Rev (CT.II) Dept., Dt: 02.01.2023
6. G.O.Rt.No.5, Rev (CT.II) Dept., Dt: 02.01.2023
7. From CCST.A.P., Lr.No.REV03-19021 (42)/1/2023, Dt. 24/01/2023 along with the served copies
8. G.O.Rt.No.159 , Rev (CT.II) Dept., Dt:15.02.2023

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O R D E R:

In the reference 1st read above, common Disciplinary proceedings were initiated against the following officials and charges were framed vide reference 2nd to 6th read above, on the allegations of corruption, harassment, indiscipline and abuse of official power. None of the Charges Officers have submitted their WSDs.

(1) Sri M. Sudhakara Rao, Joint Commissioner(ST), Visakhapatnam-II, Division
(2) Sri.P. Jayasankar, Deputy Commissioner (ST), O/o the Joint Commissioner (ST),Visakhapatnam-II Division. (now under suspension)
(3) Sri P. Prasanth Kumar, GSTO, O/o Asst. Commissioner (State Tax), Anakapalli Circle, Visakhapatnam-II Division (now under suspension)
(4) Sri J. Dharmapal, AEO, O/o Joint Commissioner (State Tax),Visakhapatnam-II Division, (now under suspension)
(5) Sri T. Someswara Rao, AEO, O/o the Asst. Commissioner (State Tax), Airport Circle, Visakhapatnam(under suspension)

2. And whereas, it is considered that a Presenting Officer should be appointed to present the case on behalf of the disciplinary authority in support of the articles of charges against the above said officers.

3. Now, therefore, the disciplinary authority in exercise of the powers conferred

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by sub-rule (5) (c) of rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991, hereby appoint Smt. G. Sumathi, Joint Commissioner (ST), Kakinada, as Presenting Officer to present the case on behalf of the Disciplinary Authority in support of the Articles of charges framed against the above said Officers.

4. Smt. G. Sumathi, Joint Commissioner (ST), Kakinada, shall obtain all the connected records and documents from the CCST, AP, and present the case before the Inquiry Authority appointed vide reference 8th read above.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

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**SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To
Smt. G. Sumathi, Joint Coommissioner (ST), Kakinada, through CCST., A.P., Guntur.
Sri S.E. Krishna Mohan Reddy(ST), Additional Commissioner O/o CCST, AP, Guntur, through CCST., A.P., Guntur.
The Chief Commissioner of State Tax, A.P., Guntur
The following all charged Officers through CCST., A.P., Guntur:
(1)Sri M.Sudhakara Rao, Joint Commissioner(State Tax),Visakhapatnam-II, Division (U/s)
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The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Secretariat Building No.5, Velagapudi, Guntur District.
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**// FORWARDED BY ORDER //**

K. Sreenu
**SECTION OFFICER.**